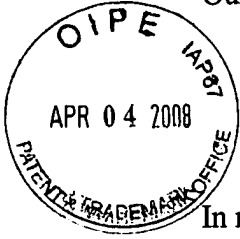


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Sir:

Pursuant to the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith and in response to the final Office action mailed January 2, 2008, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to enter the following amendment and to consider the following remark.

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